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## COUNTY BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT IS WON BY XENIA HIGH TEAM

Xenia High School's crack basketball team, crippled though it was by the absence of center "Bruno" Ball, who was unable to play, swept through the Fifth Annual Greene Co. Basketball tournament which was staged at Kelly Gym, Antioch College, Saturday and winding up the day's victories by winning from Cedarville High School Saturday night, won the county championship and the two cups awarded by Antioch college as first prizes.

One of these cups, is awarded as a permanent possession while the other and larger cup, is the cup given to the team winning it three years, and is held by Xenia for a year only as a temporary possession. By virtue of its ability to hold out until the finals when it played Xenia for the championship of the county, Cedarville High School was awarded the second prize of ten dollars in money.

Cedarville High School girls saw to it that that town did not come away from the county meet without one first prize, when it defeated Jamestown High School girls in the finals of the girls' tournament games, winning the girls' championship of the county, and receiving the silver loving cup awarded for the winners of that honor. A prize of \$5 was also awarded Beaver Creek High School team for showing in the county set-to this being the first year the team has had a basketball team in the field. The awards were made by Congressman S. D. Fess, ex-President of Antioch College, whose son, Lowell Fess, founded the county tournament in 1915, and the ceremonies took place following the Xenia-Cedarville game which wound up the affair Saturday night.

Good, clean sport, some lively court contests and some real up-to-the-minute basketball was shown during the day's games, which were played before a crowd that exceeded any ever assembled there and which packed and jammed into the big Kelly Hall. Six hundred rooters were present, making the place gay with the vari-colored pennants and school colors, and rocking the building on its foundations with their school yells and cheers. Four hundred of these people were fed by the Antioch girls at a cafeteria dinner in the girls' dining hall.

Hopes were crushed in the bitter dust of defeat while others soared on the wings of victory while team met team in bitter conflict on the stadium. Unfortunate drawings took their toll of disappointment during the big meet and many a good team was eliminated during the earlier games of the meet due to drawing a seasoned quintet for their initial battle while they were yet unsettled and a bit excited. The result was an irretrievable defeat of teams that were expected to caper through the greater part of the day's session with honors.

Such was the experience of Osborn, which was by far the strongest team in the tournament next to Xenia. These lads picked Yellow Springs, a strong outfit, for their preliminary set-to and after defeating them handily ran into Xenia in the same afternoon in the semi-finals. The local lads were only able to squeeze them out by a bare two points, the score being 16-14, yet these lads were eliminated when they should have had second place, Cedarville, which won this position, was an easy victim for the locals in the final game, Xenia defeating them handily with the line-up full of substitutes in the first half.

Besides the two big championship deciding games which were played in the evening, the fans present were treated to an unusual bit of basketball interest, in the presence of five known stars in the All-Star combination, which defeated Antioch College 28-12 in the second game of the evening. The All-Star aggregation was composed of officials and coaches, and represented in its line-up, Deltrich, of Wittenberg, All-Ohio forward this year, Lowell Fess, and Wilbur Corry, former Antioch stars, and both lately returned from overseas, Godfrey, former Ohio State star guard and Al Marth, Dayton Triangle star, former St. Mary's performer, who was present with his prodigies, Osborn High School, whom he has been coaching. The outfit was truly an All-Star aggregation, and despite practice they played team work like veterans and easily defeated the fast college five.

The results of the preliminary games were as follows: Cedarville 22; Bowersville 12; Cedarville girls 12; Ross township girls 6; Jamestown girls 11; Yellow Springs girls 9; Ross

township 25; Bellbrook 14; Xenia 28; Jamestown 12; Osborn 18; Yellow Springs 9; Beaver Creek 36; Caeracreek 10.

Cedarville showed its best form in the first game of the semi-finals, when it defeated Ross township 31-12. The Xenia-Osborn set-to which was next on the semi-finals program furnished the real excitement of the tournament. Four straight fouls by the Gray of Osborn put his team in the lead until baskets by Stephens, Hartsock and Vannorsdall dragged them from their perch and the half ended 12-10. The locals were never headed, the scoring being light in the final period, but the Osborn lads became dangerous in the latter part of the half, and only airtight defense saved the day for the locals, the score ending 16-14 in favor of the blue and white outfit. The last game of the semi-finals was the Antioch Academy-Beaver Creek affair, the former winning 19-14. Beaver Creek being an old team, the game was arranged with the understanding that should the Academy defeat the Beaver lads by fifteen points, the latter would be eliminated. While the Academy did not accomplish this feat, the Beaver Creek outfit, realizing it had no chance in the finals with either Cedarville or Xenia, voluntarily withdrew. It was their first year in basketball and their first year in the tournament and the team deserves much credit for its showing.

The semi-finals were finished during the afternoon and the two championship games and the Antioch College-All-Star game were the three features of the evening. Coach Fairies of Xenia was delighted with the showing of the locals in the tournament and he deserves credit for coaching the first blue and white quintet that has taken a county tournament in four years. For this honor Coach Fairies is justly proud.

The annual county tournament which is growing every year, beyond all expectations, was a decided success this year as it has been every year. Much of this success is due to the Tournament committee, Warren Vannorsdall, Elmer Barre and Lyman Athey, although the whole school entered into the spirit of the tournament and helped faithfully. Well chosen officials governed the meet, Godfrey of Ohio State and Deltrich of Wittenberg being in charge of the boys' games, while Miss Dove of Springfield was in charge of the girls' games. Heathey and C. Vannorsdall of Antioch were timekeepers and Stretcher was official score keeper.

## EX-KAISER'S SON WANTS DIVORCE

Amsterdam, March 19.—Eitel Friedrich, second son of the former German Emperor, has commenced divorce proceedings against his wife, charging infidelity before the war, says The Klein Journal of Berlin. When the former Prince attempted to bring proceedings before the war his father vetoed the plan, the newspaper adds.

Eitel Friedrich was married in 1906 to Grand Duchess Sophie Charlotte of Oldenburg. In November, 1913, The Klein Journal published a report that possible divorce was pending between Eitel and his wife. At about the same time it was reported that the couple had separated, but this was denied later. They have no children.

## THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS DAMAGE TO FARM LANDS

Kansas City, March 17.—Thousands of dollars damage to farm lands and small towns was the result, it was believed today, of rainfall in northwest Kansas.

Many families, it was reported were forced to flee from their homes. Flood warnings were sent out today from Wichita, Lawrence and Bonner Springs where further danger was anticipated.

Two cloud bursts caused at least \$300,000 damage to business houses at Atchison, Kansas. Nearly a mile of Santa Fe road tracks was washed out near Richmond, Kansas, and traffic on the Missouri Pacific was interrupted by inundated road beds.

Good condition of dikes along the Kaw river was believed to have averted danger of losses in the Kansas City District.

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## AMERICAN FIGHTING MEN DO CLEARING WORK IN FRANCE



Glimpses of U. S. fighting men who are rebuilding shattered towns at Chatel Cheroy-Meuse, France.

American soldiers in France are demonstrating their ability to do other things than fight. One detachment is cleaning up the debris of war and rebuilding shattered towns at Chatel Cheroy-Meuse, where these pictures were taken. The soldier in the upper picture is performing his toilet at the end of a strenuous day.

## REDUCTION IN LIVING COSTS IS KEY TO READJUSTMENT PERIOD

Washington, March 17.—Reduction in living costs to the consumer was put forward today by the Federal reserve board as the key to the readjustment period. The board's report states that the consumer must have an income if the transfer from war to peace is effectually made, the board says in the Bulletin, made public here.

"Readjustment is a problem," the Bulletin states, "which involves a curtailment of costs of production to a point where our manufacturers are able to satisfy domestic trade and to compete favorably with foreigners for export. It involves a readjustment of values generally upon a new basis created by normalization of prices and wages. Finally it involves the effective transfer of labor from war work back to peace-time employment at a stable and satisfactory remuneration."

The board says that each of these factors must bear its share in the general process of readjustment. If these

do "team work" the board predicts a smooth recession from the "great inflation" of prices and the additions to the "consumers living costs" on every side.

In connection with its analysis of the readjustment situation, the board directs attention to "shifting of investments" without due appreciation of the hazards of the situation. It warns that dangers are particularly acute in this respect since a war loan is being floated at a time when the whole of industry is busily re-organizing.

The opinion is voiced that while the great readjustment is taking place, exporters as well as domestic manufacturers should take into account the international trade situation. New imports are going to enter America and exporters are going to enter new markets so that a single industry cannot consider only its individual self, it was explained. Its relation to all other lines, domestic as well as foreign, must be considered.

## CLEAR MAJORITY PLEGGED AGAINST LEAGUE OF NATIONS

BY L. C. MARTIN.  
Washington, March 17.—A clear majority of the next senate is pledged to vote against the league of nations constitution unless amended, league opponents declared today.

Eleven Democrats, they say, have either openly or privately declared their opposition to the compact in its present form. Forty-one Republicans are definitely on record against the covenant. This makes a total of 52, three more than a majority of the senate.

The republican opposition to the present form of the constitution is made up of the thirty-nine signers of the "round robin" with Norris and Kenyon added since adjournment of congress. Democrats openly in opposition include Reed, Thomas and King. Those who have not come out openly are refraining from doing so, they said, because they see the strongest indications that amendments will be made which may satisfy them.

The present week sees the beginning of the opposition invasion of the middlewest. Borah and Reed are scheduled for meetings in St. Louis and Kansas City and Borah may speak in Cleveland.

## ROB AGED MAN

Columbus, March 17.—Lee O'Brien, 19, and Harry Francis, 18, both of Zaniesville, were before municipal Judge Osborn today charged with the highway robbery of Silas Smith, 78, of Indianapolis, in the Union Station yards last night. Police say they confessed.

## WILL BE GOVERNOR OF VIRGIN ISLANDS



Rear Admiral Joseph W. Oman.

Rear Admiral Oman is to become governor of the Virgin Islands, the newest island possessions of the U. S. He will succeed Rear Admiral James H. Oliver, who was recently relieved from that duty and returned to the retired list. Admiral Oman is at present commandant of the Second naval district, with headquarters at Newport, R. I.

## FIRST UNITS OF 37TH ARE DUE IN NEW YORK MONDAY

New York, March 17.—The Harrisburg, bearing the first units of the 37th division—Ohio's former national guardsmen—is scheduled to reach port here today, but it is extremely unlikely that she will dock on the scheduled date.

To date no radio has been received from the vessel. As the Harrisburg did not leave France until March 10, debarkation officers say they will be surprised if she arrives before late Tuesday or Wednesday.

On the Harrisburg are detachments of the 147th infantry, consisting of nine officers and 565 men. The 135th field artillery composed almost wholly of Cleveland boys, is on the seas and scheduled to reach New Orleans and New Hampshire March 27th.

Detachments of the 148th infantry are aboard the Louisville at sea. The Louisville and New Hampshire sailed from France March 12.

## FORMER GERMAN GENERAL CLUBBED TO DEATH BY MOB

Copenhagen, March 17.—General Von Arnim, former commander of the German armies in Flanders, was clubbed to death by a mob of infuriated peasants in Aisch, Bohemia, it was reported in dispatches received here today.

The murder of Von Arnim followed his firing shots at peasants who trespassed on his grounds. Afterward the peasants pillaged the castle.

## DANGER OF FLOOD AT DAYTON THOUGHT TO HAVE PASSED

While the steady rise of the Miami river at Dayton, caused concern in that city, Sunday, forecasters said that the flood stage would not be reached unless there were continued continued heavy rains Monday. The river was standing at 13 feet Monday morning, and 18 feet is the flood stage.

Arthur E. Morgan, chief engineer of the Miami Conservancy District, had men stationed at every point along the Miami, Mad and Stillwater rivers all day Sunday, and throughout the night. "In-so far as the levees are concerned, said Mr. Morgan, they are in better shape to carry a large volume of water than at any time in the past." All day Sunday, the levees were being caulked and strengthened unassured by the official announcement that there was no danger of a flood, residents in the lowlands began to prepare for the worst. Boats that had not been used since the 1913 flood were taken out and inspected in readiness for any emergency.

## WANTS HANDCUFFS BACK.

Urbana, Ill., March 17.—They don't want the prisoners, but the handcuffs cost ten dollars.

Isaac Allen, negro wife beater, compounded his offense by biting Policeman McDade and vanished.

## FOUR MEN ASPHYXIATED

Philadelphia, Mar. 17.—Four men were killed by gas in a local lodging house today as a result of their landlady depositing a quarter in a slot machine, ignorant of the fact the jets in the men's room were turned on.

## LEAGUE OF NATIONS COVENANT IS PART OF PEACE TREATY

Paris, March 17.—Foreign Minister Pichon's claim that the league of nations will not be included in the preliminary peace treaty was emphatically denied today in American official circles.

President Wilson and the other commissioners are standing pat on its inclusion, it was stated. Surprise was expressed that Pichon should hold views to the contrary.

The president, it is known, intends to make a strong fight for inclusion of the league. He feels that France and Great Britain need the league even more than America. Hence, Pichon's statement astounded and somewhat piqued the Americans.

An early peace is desired by President Wilson, and he holds that inclusion of the league in the pact is vital to America.

BY FRED S. FERGUSON

Paris, March 17.—Final action on the military terms of the preliminary peace treaty with Germany was to be taken by the supreme war council this afternoon.

The treaty will be presented to the Germans about March 25, according to general opinion today. This slight disarrangement of previous plans is due to the necessity for Premier Lloyd George to return to England the last of this week. He is expected to return to Paris next Monday.

While the forth-coming treaty with Germany is termed preliminary, it is, to all intents and purposes final, it fixes that country's military and naval status, defines its boundaries and disposes of the questions of reparation and economic freedom. It will not be really effective, however, until it is ratified by all, or a fixed percentage of the signatory nations. The period for ratification by the allied nations may be at least forty to sixty days. This will give an opportunity for the calling of a special session of the American congress, enabling the senate to act. Germany probably will be given a much shorter period in which to accept the terms.

Following this preliminary peace with Germany there will be separate treaties with Austria, Turkey and Bulgaria; then the general treaty, which will clean up all loose ends, co-ordinate the separate pacts, establish any remaining interrelated boundaries, etc.

It was apparent today that some of the "peace delegates have overlooked the resolution passed by the plenary session of the peace conference, cited by President Wilson Saturday, as statements from French and British sources during the past few days have been to the effect that the league will not be included in the preliminary peace. The apparent assumption that only the final treaty can carry the league, probably has been influenced by American opposition rather than European, according to the opinion prevailing in American circles here. The president following issuance of his statement that the league would be included in the treaty, conferred with Lord Cecil yesterday to discuss the program for handling the work of completing the league constitution simultaneously with the framing of the treaty.

Backers of the plan for including the league in the preliminary treaty pointed out today that the present covenant was drawn up in thirty working hours and that even if numerous amendments are submitted the final draft can be quickly perfected. It is believed, however, that when the time comes for submitting amendments, there will be comparatively few.

Until ratification of the preliminary treaty by the allies, the armistice terms will continue effective. The blockade commission was scheduled to submit to the supreme economic council today its recommendations for raising the blockade of Germany and Austria.

## MASONS TO CELEBRATE 100TH ANNIVERSARY

The Xenia Masonic Lodge is making plans for an elaborate celebration of the hundredth anniversary of its founding, which will take place April 10. Definite arrangements have not been made, but it is expected that the celebration will take the form of an afternoon and evening meeting, with prominent speakers, and a banquet. A large number of visitors will be present, as the lodge will extend invitations to all Masonic lodges in this neighborhood. The plans for the celebration are in charge of the centennial committee.

## "Young Teddy" Plans To Organize War Veterans

New York, March 17.—On receipt here of word from Paris that 500 members of the American expeditionary force had taken the first step there toward organization of a world war veterans' association, Lieutenant Colonel Theodore Roosevelt announced last night that a meeting would be called in this country "about the end of April" for the same purpose.

He added that organization would not be completed until most of the American troops returned from overseas.

## HEAVY RAINS PUT RIVERS ON RAMPAGE

Napoleon, O., March 17.—The Maumee river is out of its banks in many places between the villages of Florida and Texas, a distance of 20 miles in Henry county and rising this morning at a rate of two inches an hour.

Hundreds of acres of lowlands have overflowed 12 to 24 inches. North and South Turkeyfoot creeks on either side of the river are overflowing the roadways.

Cincinnati, March 17.—A heavy rain which began Friday night showed signs of letting up today, with the fall totalling 2.18 inches. The Ohio river in this district was rising three tenths of a foot an hour, under the pressure of tributaries which had over-run their banks. Upper river dikes reported lower stages.

## ALL STREAMS IN GREENE COUNTY NEAR FLOOD STAGE

All streams in the county are swollen as a result of the heavy and continued rains throughout Saturday and Sunday, but the water has not reached the flood stage, or caused any damage of consequence.

At Old Town, Massie's creek, which flows into the Little Miami river near that point, has overflowed its banks, and all the lowlands are flooded, but the traction line and railroad tracks are not inundated. Lowlands near Trebeins are a sheet of water, but the Dayton, Springfield and Xenia Southern Traction Company has not yet experienced any trouble through its tracks being flooded.

At Spring Valley, back water has covered the river bottoms, at New Burlington, where Caesar's creek and Anderson's Fork frequently cause trouble during the spring freshets, the water has not caused anxiety.

The absence of heavy rains Sunday night and Monday forenoon allowed the water in all streams to drop considerably, but the weather bureau promises more rain for Monday night, which may bring all the water ways up again.







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## TO-NIGHT

### "THE MIDNIGHT STAGE"

A five reel extra special featuring FRANK KEENAN and an all star cast. A Western story of the days in 1860. Who robbed the midnight stage? Who left a bag of gold in the old man's room with a note reading, "Payment of an old debt?" See the grandeur of the West in its mountains, streams, and beautiful valleys.

### "HANDS UP"

In 2 reels featuring RUTH ROLAND and an all star cast.

On account of large crowds the big show will start at 6:30, last show starts 9 o'clock. COME EARLY.

### TUESDAY NIGHT

"THE GIRL PROBLEM" Vitaphone 5 reel Star series featuring CORINNE GRIFITH and an all star cast. STORY—Can a girl who loved never loved understand men? A wonderful love story.

"THE IRON TEST." A 2 reel chapter play featuring ANTONIO MORENO and Carol Holloway. Always exciting.

"COMING SOON." EDDIE POLO in "THE LURE OF THE CIRCUS." Every Tuesday for 18 weeks.

### BEST OF THE YEAR

"Parlor, Bedroom and Bath"  
Made Big Hit at Fairbanks, Springfield.

One of the conspicuous dramatic successes of last season will be seen at the opera house Wednesday, March 19, when A. H. Woods presents "Parlor, Bedroom and Bath," for an engagement of one night direct from its phenomenal run at the Republic Theatre, New York City.

"Parlor, Bedroom and Bath" is said to have scored more laughs than any other comedy on the boards last season.

## COUGHS AND COLDS QUICKLY RELIEVED

Dr. King's New Discovery used since Grant was President. Get a bottle today.

It did it for your grandma, for you, father. For fifty years this well-known cough and cold remedy has kept an evergrowing army of friends, young and old.

For half a century druggists everywhere have sold it. Put a bottle in your medicine cabinet. You may need it in a hurry. Sold by druggists everywhere. 60c and \$1.20.

### Bowels Acting Properly?

They ought to, for constipation makes the body retain waste matters and impurities that undermine the health and play havoc with the entire system. Dr. King's New Life Pills are reliable and mild in action. All druggists. 25c.

## MRS. JOSEPH JOHNSON DIES IN JAMESTOWN

Mrs. Joseph Johnson died at her home in Jamestown, Friday evening, at 5:30 o'clock. Death was due to pneumonia, following influenza.

Mrs. Johnson is survived by her husband and four children.

Funeral services were private, and were held at the late residence Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

Burial was made in Jamestown.

### Popular Way.

One of the meanest ways to spend an afternoon off is to bother a friend who is busy.—Toledo Blade.

DON'T SPOIL YOUR CLOTHES. Use Red Cross Ball Blue and keep them white as snow. All grocers.

## FOR BURNING ECZEMA

Apply Zemo the Clean, Antiseptic Liquid—Easy to Use—Does Not Stain

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The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

## URGE OPENING OF EMPLOYMENT OFFICES

Washington, March 17.—To provide employment for returned soldiers and sailors, an emergency committee of the council of national defense has been organized.

With the unemployment again increasing the committee was believed to be necessary because of the 80 per cent reduction of the United States Employment Service. It will take over the work and suggesting the immediate opening of state and municipal employment offices to succeed the ones of the federal government that will be closed by March 22, the board will take over the two thousand agencies of the welfare association which have been directed by the soldiers and sailors bureau of the employment service.

Appeals were telegraphed today to all governors, mayors of the principal cities and chairmen of all state councils of defense asking assistance in the work and suggesting the immediate opening of state and municipal employment offices to succeed the ones of the federal government that will be closed by March 22, the board will take over the two thousand agencies of the welfare association which have been directed by the soldiers and sailors bureau of the employment service.

## COMPETITION

IN BUSINESS OF ALL KINDS IS BECOMING KEENER. WE WILL TELL YOU HOW TO MEET IT.

1. Save your money.
2. Work harder than you have ever worked.
3. Push and advertise your business.
4. Render real service.
5. Leave your savings or your idle money on interest with
6. The Buckeye State Building and Loan Co., Rankin Bldg., 22 West Gay St., Columbus, Ohio.
7. A strong and conservative institution.

## NERVOUS PROSTRATION

May be Overcome by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—This Letter Proves It.

West Philadelphia, Pa.—"During the thirty years I have been married, I have been in bad health and had several attacks of nervous prostration until it seemed as if the organs in my whole body were worn out. I was finally persuaded to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it made a well woman of me. I can now do all my household work and advise all ailing women to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I will guarantee they will derive great benefit from it."—Mrs. FRANK FITZGERALD, 25 N. 41st Street, West Philadelphia, Pa.



There are thousands of women everywhere in Mrs. Fitzgerald's condition, suffering from nervousness, backache, headaches, and other symptoms of a functional derangement. It was a grateful spirit for health restored which led her to write this letter so that other women may benefit from her experience and find health as she has done.

For suggestions in regard to your condition write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. The result of their 40 years experience is at your service.

### To Heal Bed Sores

For 25 years physicians and nurses have never found anything equal to

### Sykes Comfort Powder

One box proves its extraordinary healing power for any skin inflammation. 25c at the Vinol and other drug stores. The Comfort Powder Co., Boston, Mass.

## FIRST U. S. WOMAN TO CROSS RHINE



Miss Frances Marion.

The very first American woman to cross the Rhine was Miss Frances Marion. Miss Marion in everyday life is a writer of motion picture scenarios, but during the war she was a propagandist for the committee of public information. She went to France last fall with the purpose of filming the activities of women in war and also of doing some secret propaganda work for the government.

## WOMAN AWAKENS TO FIND A BURGLAR IN HER ROOM

Awaking suddenly some time early Sunday morning, Mrs. O. O. Smith of West Third street discovered a burglar in her bed room. Her scream served the double purpose of arousing Mr. Smith and frightening the burglar, who made his escape.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith sleep on the ground floor and leave a window open for ventilation through which the burglar made his way into the room. He had evidently been in the room for some time, for he had arranged the chairs in the way of any one coming from the direction of the bed, and left an open space between himself and the window.

The burglar did not secure anything although there was considerable money in the room. He ran down King street, toward the railroad yards, when he was alarmed.

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Mrs. Rebecca Harris of Charleston, W. Va., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Vencie P. Weaver and family.

Mrs. Frankie Kirk is suffering with neuralgia.

Mr. Moses Swisher is on the sick list. He is thought to have influenza.

Rum Made in Philadelphia.

Rum distilled from molasses was among Philadelphia's principal manufactures before the revolution. Dr. Benjamin Rush wrote to "Mad Anthony" Wayne after the capture of Stony Point: "Our street rang with nothing but your name. You are remembered constantly next to our good and great Washington, over our claret and madeira." Both were much in demand at the city's typical entertainments of the stranger.

Frogs as Barometers.

Certain animals, according to a London naturalist, appear to act as live barometers. And in proof of this he says that while frogs remain yellow nothing but fine weather may be expected, but should their coats begin to assume a brown hue it is a sign of coming bad weather.

## EAST END NEWS

Arthur Dickenson, a member of the 325th Field Signal Battalion, arrived home from overseas last Thursday. The 325th is the only colored signal unit in the American army, and received honors for showing rare courage and skill under fire. Mr. Dickenson was on active duty in the Argonne forests, Marbae, Vosges sector and at Metz.

John C. Batt, who recently arrived from overseas and has been honorably discharged from the army, at Camp Sherman, stopped over to visit Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson of Xenia. He left Monday for Clarksville, Ohio.

Lieut. Chas. U. Turpin, who has just returned from overseas, was a week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scott. Lieut. Turpin was one of the regimental intelligence officers for his company, the famous 365th, whose regimental flag was junked. He saw three months active service. His men were on the sector just seven miles from Metz when the armistice was signed, holding this particular strategic point longer than any company that had been stationed there for the four years of the war. He talked freely and intelligently to persons who called, of the many hardships, indignities and unfair treatment, suffered by the men of his company, at the hands of the Southern white officers in charge. The most of the young colored men who went from Xenia belonged to this company. Lieut. Turpin is an Illinois boy, but for the present is stationed at Camp Sherman. He will return to Xenia in two weeks and give a talk on some of the experiences of his company, at the First A. M. E. church.

First Lieutenant Wheeler was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Powers of East Main street, from Friday until Sunday. He has been in service for two years, and 11 months of that time he spent in France. He fought with the French army, and for twenty-five days he never had his shoes off. He wore the Croix de Guerre for bravery and also a medal for sharp shooting. On his left arm he wore a bar for wound, and on the right arm a bar for 11 months service. He left Sunday en route to Louisville, Ky., and Chicago for a few days visit, after which he will return to Camp Dix, where he has enlisted in the standing army. Mr. Wheeler is a former Xenia boy.

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SAYS NERV-WORTH HAS BEEN A BOON TO HER HUSBAND

MRS. J. H. GENTNER, OF ALPHA GLOWINGLY PRAISES THIS FAMOUS FAMILY TONIC

Mr. Gentner is the well known Alpha carpenter. His many friends will read of the recovery of his health with pleasure and interest. Said Mrs. Gentner not long ago:

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## TO-NIGHT

## "Good-Bye, Bill"

A Paramount 5 reel comedy drama featuring SHIRLEY MASON, Ernest Truex and a superb cast. When John Emerson and Anita Loos get together to make a fool of the Kaiser—the Kaiser is some fool. Shirley Mason and Ernest Truex sure do knock the stuffs out of more than Kaiser Bill's rebellious moustache. What would you do—?? They did worse than that! Come and see!

## "Tell That to the Marines"

A James Montgomery Flagg Comedy.

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## "A Perfect 36"

It's a Goldwyn 5 part comedy drama featuring MABEL NORMAND and other stars. Her figure was her fortune. A dive and a dip and she conquered 'em all! A Perfect 36 is easy if you know how—see Mabel Normand in "A Perfect 36."

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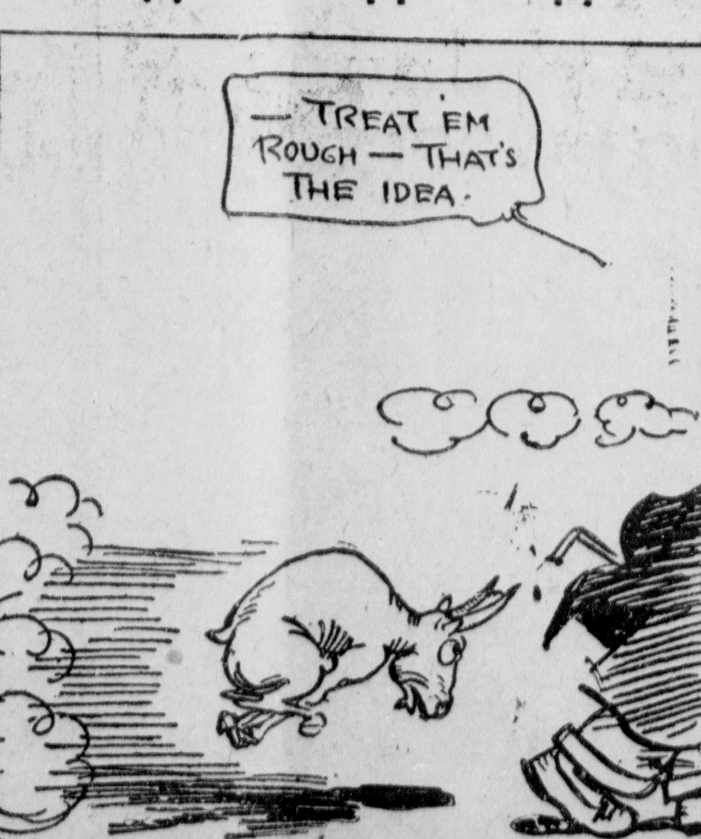
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### The Order of the Bath.

A very youthful British tourist, arrived at an old-fashioned hotel, had the imprudence to order a bath in his room for the next morning. Very early he was awakened by sounds of hammering somewhere overhead. Then followed much bumping on the stairs; evidently a large and cumbersome weight was being brought down. The noise ceased outside his own door, which flew open, and in staggered two strong men bearing the big bath from the public bathroom, dismounted for his morning ablutions!

### GRAND ELEVENTH HOUR RUSH MADE TO PAY INCOME TAX

On the job until midnight Saturday, Deputy Income Tax Collectors H. A. Higgins and P. C. Sommers received the last returns made by Greene counties, up to the last minute allowed by law for making such returns.

The windup of the income tax collecting period was a strenuous one for the collectors. After visiting various towns of the county, they wound up in Xenia Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and from eight in the mornings until midnight they were busy.

The income tax collectors' office on the second floor of the government building was thronged every minute, while the collectors gave out information concerning the law, rendered assistance in making returns, and passed out tax blanks.

It is thought that there are few delinquents in the county. Information concerning the law and the necessity for making returns was so thoroughly circulated through the press, that there is no one who could have an excuse for delinquency, because of lack of knowledge of the law. Then the penalty fixed for failure to make returns is drastic, and the government has given assurance that its officers will hunt up the dodgers.

The income tax is for the purpose of paying war expenses, and in its operation is one of the most just laws, as all who understand it, admit.

### Things Evened Up.

Bobbie walks home from kindergarten with a little neighbor girl who goes to public school. He calls her his sweetheart. So the other day his big brother said to Bobbie: "Oh, Bob, she's too big to be your sweetheart." But Bobbie met the proposition thus: "Her head's higher than mine, but her feet ain't."



### Give it in Time

Every mother knows that coughs and colds, neglected, may lead to the most dread diseases. Croup, bronchitis, pneumonia and consumption often have their beginning in a slight cold.

The wise mother gives Foley's Honey and Tar at the first signs of a cough or cold. She knows it stops coughs quickly, puts a soothing, healing coating on an inflamed and tickling throat, and gives a feeling of warmth and comfort to the sufferer.

Mrs. M. E. Schlarb, Ashland, Penn., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar is the best cough and cold remedy I have ever tried. When my little girl gets a cold on her chest, I give her a few doses, and it relieves her right away."

### RENEW PARTNERSHIP AFTER A LAPSE OF THIRTY YEARS

Together They Are Working to Put Across Ohio's Quota In Victory Campaign.



DR. W. O. THOMPSON.

MARION LAWRENCE.

WHEN W. O. Thompson, president of Ohio State university and of the International Sunday School Association, and Marion Lawrence, general secretary of the latter organization, joined forces recently to stimulate interest throughout the state in the Victory Campaign for \$20,000,000, they renewed a partnership of thirty years ago.

In 1889, Dr. Thompson was president of the Ohio Sunday School Association and Mr. Lawrence was secretary. Their co-operation at that time was responsible for remarkable strides in the work of the organization. Now, in 1919, people interested in the new movement are looking to this team for even greater results.

Being president of a great university would seem quite enough for some people, but not so with Dr. Thompson. He was elected president of the International Sunday School Association last year. He is an ordained Presbyterian minister, a graduate lawyer, former president of two other colleges, practical farmer, and successful business man, as proved in his capacity of president of a well known insurance company. He was sent to France by President Wilson in 1918 as a member of the Agricultural Commission.

Marion Lawrence has been active in Sunday School work for forty years. He started as a teacher in the Washington Street Congregational Sunday School in Toledo, Ohio. Three years later, in 1876, he became superintendent of the Sunday School and held the position for thirty-one years, until his removal to Chicago in 1907. The Sunday School which he served so faithfully is now known as the Marion Lawrence Sunday School, and has an enrollment of 2,000 members. It has become one of the pattern Sunday Schools of the world. The main characteristics of the school are described in the book by Mr. Lawrence, "How to Conduct a Sunday School."

Dr. Thompson and Mr. Lawrence are enthusiastic in their support of the Sunday School campaign for a firm financial foundation. They believe that the future of Christianity is largely dependent on the work of the Sunday School. "We could not do a better thing," says Dr. Thompson, "than to go into France and rebuild the church, so that the children of France may know the church as we know it." Together these associates of a third of a century are working to put across the Ohio quota of \$1,000,000 in record time.

### Didn't Lose Any Time.

Ruth was left to watch baby brother in his bed while mother prepared dinner. In a few minutes followed a thump and then a wall. Running upstairs mother said, "I thought I left you to take care of brother?" "Well, mother, I did call you the very minute he hit the floor," was the com-

### D. D. CLUB TO GIVE ST. PATRICK'S PARTY

One of the most charming of the St. Patrick's Day affairs it is expected, will be that arranged by the "D. D. Club," which will take the form of a dance to be given in the auditorium of St. Brigid's school Monday evening.

This girl's club has fostered a number of delightful affairs and it promises that the St. Patrick's dance, which will be the last until after the Lenten season, will indeed be up to the standard. The committee in charge of the arrangements is composed of Misses Mary Kelbie, Catherine Ryan and Helen Hornick.

### Many Times.

Haven't you observed that most of the world's mistakes are due to the circumstances that it refrains from doing things as you would have them done?—Houston Post.

Look closer at the clothes than you do at the price. See what we furnish

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Silver Plate	\$1.00
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### EMPHATICALLY ASSERTS WORN OUT, LAGGING MEN CAN QUICKLY BECOME VIGOROUS AND FULL OF AMBITION

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Don't blame the man who is perpetually tired; his blood needs more red corpuscles and his brain and nerves are craving for food.

Given the right kind of medicine, a tired-out, inactive, lagging fellow can quickly be made into a real man, energetic and even ambitious.

So says a student of the nervous system who advises all men and women who feel worn out and who find it hard to get up ambition enough to take a regular job to get a package of Bio-feren at any drugist.

This is the new discovery that pharmacists are recommending because it is not expensive and speedily puts vigor and ambition into people who despaired of ever amounting to anything in life.

People whose nerves have been wrecked by too rapid living, too much tobacco or alcohol, have regained their old-time confidence and energy in less than two weeks.

No matter from what cause your nerves went back on you; no matter how run down, nervous or tired out you are, get an original package of Bio-feren at once at Sayre & Hump-

hills. Takes two tablets after each meal and one before bedtime—seven a day for seven days—then one after each meal till all are gone.

Then if you still lack ambition; if your nerves are not steady and you haven't the energy that red-blooded, keen-minded men possess, your purchase money will be gladly returned.

### WILBERFORCE

Rev. J. P. Q. Wallace of Richmond, Ind., visited his son and daughter, who are in school, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. Wesley Cotton of the Soldiers' Home, Dayton, an old veteran of the Civil War, and an acquaintance of Mrs. Anna Weaver spent several days in the village.

Lt. Edward Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Anderson, has received his honorable discharge from the army, and is home to spend several weeks recuperating before taking up his duties in the store.

Miss Irene Morris, president of the local branch of the Y. W. C. A., and Miss Thelma Taylor, are attending the Student Volunteer Convention, in Delaware, Ohio.

At the chapel service Wednesday noon, five minute addresses were delivered in behalf of the R. O. T. C., under command of Lieutenant Percival Piper. Prof. L. F. Palmer talked on "Leadership," Prof. Geo. F. David, "The Initiative," Supt. W. A. Joiner, "The Physical Benefit," and Dean Gilbert Jones, "The Educational Value."

The C. N. I. department has opened an auto branch where instruction will be given to those who wish to learn automobile work. Thursdays and Fridays are open to ladies and Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Saturdays to young men.

Last week sad news came announcing the death of Dr. John T. Jenifer, of Chicago. In 1870 the University graduated its first class, consisting of Dr. John T. Jenifer, Rev. J. H. Welch of Kentucky, and Dr. Thomas H. Jackson, one of the instructors in Payne Theological Seminary of the University.

Dr. Jenifer was a very prominent churchman, holding many of the leading appointments of the A. M. E. church. At the time of his death he was historian of the church, having charge of this work since the death of Bishop B. W. Arnett. Bishops of the connection, ministers and laymen from all parts of the country attended the funeral in Chicago, last Saturday.

Col. Charles Young, stationed at Camp Grant, Ill., who was visiting his family and mother for a few days, was agreeably surprised Tuesday evening, by a number of his friends, who silently stole into his residence and reminded him that it was his birthday. Col. Young, in his happy, jovial way, admitted that it was one time in his life that he was completely surprised.

The guests spent the evening in playing popular games and heard stories of real army life as told by the Colonel, and by the young men who recently returned from the trenches in France. Lieutenants Williams and Anderson pictured in their own way how the Negro soldiers went over the top and fought with the Germans. They highly commended the French soldiers and officers for the hearty welcome given to the Negro soldiers, both in Paris and in the field, and if France should have another war the black soldiers of the United States would freely return to assist France.

Miss Russell of New York furnished music for the evening. Ice cream, cake, punch, hot coffee and other refreshments were served.

### MT. TABOR

The Loyal Sons Bible Class met at the church Tuesday night with a good attendance.

The Loyal Daughters Bible Class met at the home of Mrs. W. M. Smith.

The Ladies Aid Society held a very interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. Ray Fudge Thursday afternoon. After the business program dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. Several selections were given on the piano.

Mrs. Irwin Smith is ill, suffering from a complication of troubles.

Miss Mary Smith is spending a few weeks at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Christy, of Xenia.

Mr. Lackey Neff met with a painful accident when he fell from his wagon, being dragged by one foot. The school boys are organizing a basketball team.

Mr. W. M. Smith and wife spent Friday at Dayton, calling on their aunt, Mrs. Jane Bales.

Supt. C. A. Devoe called on the school Tuesday morning.

Miss Roxie Strong attended Teachers' Meeting at New Jasper school house Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Julia Beal has installed a light plant at her home.

### WHAT ABOUT YOUR INCOME?

The elements comprising the body are constantly wearing out and must be renewed daily, else the output of strength exceeds the income.

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will help the tired business-man or woman keep pace with the wear and tear of life. Scott's Emulsion nourishes the body, blood and nerves, and helps maintain an even balance of strength and energy. Safe-guard your income of strength with Scott's.

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### OHIOANS MUST DO THEIR SHARE

Spiritual Welfare of the Country's Youth Will Fall to Careless Ruin If the Sunday School Fails to Measure Up to Its Responsibility. Cause Appeals to All That Is Best in Human Nature.

"Every true worker in the church should rejoice, I believe," says Arthur T. Arnold, general secretary of the Ohio Sunday School Association, "at the multitude of movements which, for the first time in history of this country, will supply religious work with a proper financial backing to insure its continuity and success."

"From the first, religious work in this country has been maintained by free-will offerings. Too often these have been more will than offering. Most of the big modern missionary movements have originated in this country. I think a special vote of recognition is due the Methodists for giving the world a vision of an \$80,000,000 fund for the advancement of the Kingdom on earth."

"I do not believe the world is ready for the abandonment of denomina-



ARTHUR T. ARNOLD.

General Secretary of the Ohio Sunday School Association.

tional movements at the present time, and I am proud and happy to count myself a lifelong Methodist and to remember with gratitude the honors which the Methodist church has conferred upon me. I think all Methodists will want to do the utmost in their power in making a great success of the centenary movement.

"No less worthy and no less wonderful is the New Era movement of the Presbyterian church, and it gives every prospect of successful culmination. The Baptists, the Lutherans and other denominations, about in the same measure as their numerical strength, are engaged in similar movements. If we are to believe that the blessing of God will rest on one, we must expect it to cover all of them."

"I can not believe, however, that denominational zeal will outweigh or overshadow the claim of child life or the outstanding need of a community program of religious education. These are interdenominational movements for which the World, International and the Ohio Sunday School organizations are pledged."

"Measured in terms of the country's Sunday School enrollment, the \$20,000,000 budget for which a campaign has now been launched is smaller than that of any of the denominational drives. No one familiar with the situation will deny that religious education has been sadly neglected when measured in terms of expenditures for secular education. In Ohio the proportion is \$1 for Sunday schools to \$400 for day schools. Our social evolution has taken the religious training of the child almost entirely out of the home. If the Sunday school fails to measure up to its responsibility, the spiritual welfare of the youth of the country falls to careless ruin. More than 75 per cent of the entire church membership comes to it through the doors of the Sunday School. The case seems so direct and forceful, so appealing to all that is best in human nature and most forward looking in human mind, that it needs only to be stated to be proved."

"The pulpit has its collegiate and seminary training to supply direction and leadership. The Sunday School movement is sadly defective in this respect. One of the outstanding purposes of the present campaign for funds is to provide trained leadership at the critical points in this movement throughout the world. The lay mind, I believe, can readily see that despite the variety of appeals being made at the present time, all are worthy. All of them have the indorsement and support of Sunday School leaders everywhere. None provides for the help we need to give."

"Airplanes Will Help Surveyors. In the arid wastes of Australia, where travel is exceedingly difficult and painful, and in like regions in the deserts of Africa, airplanes will make it easy to survey more square miles in a month than could be seen by means of any land vehicles in a year. It will be possible to get a true bird's-eye view of every part of the earth's surface. No dangers involved in such work are likely to daunt men who have faced and survived the perils of aerial fighting."

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## THE OSTRICH COMES BACK

BY MARGARET ROHE.

(Written for The United Press.)

Belinda wore a sweet pink frock. All feather trimmed so new. And coyly cooed to Percival "I knew 'twould tickle you." New York, March 14.—A hint to the wise that you'd often hear was "Feather your nest," but it's changed this year to "Feather your frock" if you wish to be as chic as they make 'em—"le dernier cri." For if I should give you a tip, you see, on newest of trimming for gowns 'twould be an ostrich tip—maybe three or four of different colors; they're wearing more at the bodice side, where in days of yore a cluster of flowers or fruit they wore. It really makes quite a chic bouquet, these ostrich tips in their colors gay. At the price the cost though, you mustn't frown; remember that feathers can't be marked "down."

Why really these days when a dance goes by and you call her a bird it is

not a lie. Fine feathers all make fine birds, they say, so she's surely a bird in her feathers gay. Though the actual bird that she'd be, I fear, is to judge by the feathers an ostrich queer. Each half curled flue in a trimmer doth fall (not Spanish Flue.) They are feathers all on the charmingest gowns for evening wear. They cluster softly round shoulders bare and border the draperies of skirts to hips where they smartly perch as a bunch of tips.

Capes, too, are together with frocks a feather for evening wear in the mild Spring weather. Instead of the collars so huge of fur, in which all winter we did immerse our reddened noses and double chins and all our other facial sins, the collars are now of a feather fluff, that clings round the face in a manner ruff. One on a blonde with its flues aflutter with each soft breath or each word she utters, was palest of pink, like a blushing rose, framing her face to her tilted nose. A feathery mass of pink delight atop of the cape, of pink as light of chiffon all lined with a soft old blue and bordered with fringe of the feathers too.

On some French frocks in a manner daring, the plumage of cocks they are also wearing, instead of the ostrich so take your pick. Its a cocky style and one might say "chick."

But what do you think! Of all the things! The lovely ladies are sprouting wings. Ah, surely this apeing of heavenly style is enough to make at the angels smile. In a smart show window I saw, did you, this new winged garment exposed to view. 'Tis an evening gown of a sunshine shade the loveliest yellow that ever was made. It's fabric the softest of silk doth seem, shot through and through with a sunbeam's gleam. The skirt and the bodice with graceful drapery caressingly clung to a perfect shape and bunches of feathers in yellow hue perch on the bodice, the rash end too. And round in the back, like a bustle old, two rows of the flues spout the fluffy gold. Then crowning glory, of glory be! On the shoulder strap feather wings you see, where the yellow flues of the ostrich start, the same indeed of angelic art. Although to be proper you always try, one must in this gown feel a little "fly."

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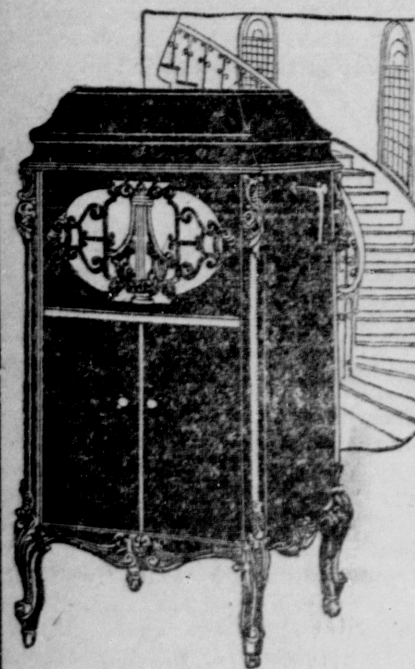
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No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poison from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.

## ARE WAR BRIDES FROM "OVER THERE" HAPPY? WELL, LOOK AT HER BIG SMILE



Mrs. Doris Winner.

War brides from our overseas heroes have been arriving in groups on recent boats from France and England. And they are a happy lot, too. Mrs. Doris Winner, shown above, was one member of a group of about twenty brides who arrived recently on the Plattsborg from abroad. She came from London and will live in Detroit.

## COX GOING EAST TO WELCOME 37TH HOME

Columbus, O., March 17.—Heading a committee of Ohio mayors and probably some of the fathers of the boys, Governor Cox plans to meet at the seaboard members of the Thirty-seventh Division, now en route home from Europe.

Governor Cox said yesterday at Dayton the war department would

advise him of the date and port of arrival.

As soon as this information was gained, he said, he would get the homecoming committee together.

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## GREENE CO. WHEAT IN SPLENDID CONDITION

Wheat throughout the county is in splendid condition, and prospects are bright for a fine crop.

The grain had a good start last fall, and the weather was not severe enough at any time this winter to injure it, consequently the tender plants never looked better at this time of the year, than they do now.

While there might still be some freezing and thawing that would have a bad effect on the wheat, there is not much danger of that, and farmers are very optimistic over the prospects for the crop.

## ADVERTISED LETTERS

Remaining unclaimed in the Post Office at Xenia Greene County, Ohio, for the week ending March 15, 1919:

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Keeling, Henry (R 1 Oldtown).  
Lyons, F. E.  
Markley, Adam.  
Mathews, S. C.  
Monroe, John (R R 7).  
McClanahan, Mrs. Thomas (698 Chestnut street).  
Pence, David A.  
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Reeves, Robert (223 Detroit St.).  
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blood, the disease being caused by an infection which breaks out through the skin. That is why the most satisfactory treatment for all so-called skin diseases is S. S. S., for this remedy so thoroughly cleanses the blood that no impurities can remain. Get a bottle to-day at any drugstore, and you will see results from the right treatment. Write for expert medical advice, which you can get without cost, by addressing Medical Director, 21 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

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24 words	.....	70c.	.....
30 words	.....	90c.	.....
36 words	.....	1.10	.....
42 words	.....	1.25	.....
48 words	.....	1.45	.....
54 words	.....	1.60	.....
60 words	.....	1.80	.....
66 words	.....	2.00	.....
72 words	.....	2.15	.....
78 words	.....	2.35	.....
84 words	.....	2.50	.....
90 words	.....	2.70	.....

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## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Twenty loads of straw. L. W. Ankeney, Bell phone 4065-W-5. 3-18

FOR SALE—Phaeton and harness in first class condition. Call Bell 530-W. 3-19

FOR SALE—Take your choice—5 room house, W. Main street, 7 room house, W. Main St., 8 room house, W. Main St., 7 room house, Gallop, 7 room house, King St., 7 room house, King St., 5 room house, Pleasant St., 7 room house, S. Detroit St., 5 room house, S. Detroit St., 5 room house, Roger St., 7 room house, Roger St., 5 room house, Chestnut St., 7 room house, Orient Hill, 5 room house, Orient Hill. Also a beautiful 7 room bungalow, Dayton Hill. Twelve sold last ten days. R. H. Grieve, 17 Allen Bldg. 3-19

FOR SALE—One extra large yearling mule, Elmer Hetsel, Bell phone 363-R-6. 3-19

FOR SALE—House and lot, 418 Cincinnati Ave. 3-19

FOR SALE—Full blood Buff Orpington eggs, 75c for setting, \$1.50 per 100. Mrs. W. G. Haworth, Ctt. 360-BK. 3-24

FOR SALE—White seed oats, C. O. Miller, Trebeins, O. 4016-5 Bell phone. 3-15,tf

FOR SALE—Horse 10 years old, wt. 1400 lbs. Call C. W. Mott, 112-803 Citizens phone, Federal pike. 3-18

FOR SALE—Puff Orpington eggs for hatching. Call Mrs. S. D. Andrew, Citizens phone. 3-18

FOR SALE—Two horses 4 years old, wt. 1300 lbs. One black and white, will sell or let out for feed. Citizens phone 3-137, Cedarville, Ohio. 3-18

FOR SALE—One Perfection oil cook stove with one hand vacuum sweeper and other household goods. Call Mrs. C. E. Dowdell, Bell phone. 3-18

FOR SALE—Early Rose potatoes, for both seed and table. Bell 369-5 Andy Paul. 3-17

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash, stable, to be removed from premises immediately. Inquire 309 E. Main St. 3-17

FOR SALE—Seed corn, grown by us on virgin soil. Husked off the stalk, carefully sorted and cribbed early in October. Very sound and well matured. Germination 90% +. Early Yellow Dent, 500 bu. Field selected for many years, emphasizing respectably, early maturity, ears at medium height with tips hanging down. Leaning, 400 bu. Start obtained from the Leaning themselves. Price—either variety—\$3.00 per bu. at crib, Albert Ankeney and Son, Bell phone 4036-R-3, or R. H. Grieve, Xenia, Ohio. 3-21

FOR SALE—Carload good locust posts, C. O. Miller Elevator, Trebeins, O. Bell phone 4016-5. 3-17

FOR SALE—Pure seed potatoes, sorghum molasses and hand made brooms. T. C. Saylor, Rt. 1, Xenia. Bell phone Spring Valley. 3-26

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Red eggs, 75 cents for 15, \$4.00 per hundred. Mrs. Albert Bickett, Citizens phone, Xenia. April 2. 3-19

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Single Comb 2 White Leghorn eggs for hatching. Mrs. Russell Gram, Bell phone Clifton 11-40. 3-19

GASOLINE ENGINE, new three h. p. \$70. Money back guarantee. Harbison, Allen Building. 4-9

FOR SALE—Day old chicks, parcel post shipment. Mrs. Vertley Lewis, Xenia R. 6. Citizens 789-4. April 2. 3-19

TAKING ORDERS—Day old chicks, parcel post shipment. Mrs. Vertley Lewis, Citizens 7-894, Xenia, Ohio, Route 6. 3-19

FOR SALE—Second hand Ford cars in good condition. R. A. Murdock, Cedarville, Citizens phone 55. 4-10

FARM—165 acres, elegant, near Dayton Electric, \$37,240. John Harbison, Allen Building. 4-9

FOR SALE—S. C. R. I. Red eggs for hatching. Extra laying strain. Mrs. H. N. Jones, Jamestown. Citizens 11-12. 5-31

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching, from stock that win and weigh. Winners at Indianapolis, Dayton, Columbus and Springfield. Both pen and farm range stock. Write or phone for prices. Leigh Bickett, Route 3, Xenia. Bell phone 4093-2. 3-30

EAST END HOUSE for sale—\$25 down, then \$6 monthly. John Harbison, Jr., Allen Building, Xenia. Both phones. 3-23

FOR SALE—One ton Ford truck, covered body, or will trade for runabout. Jeffries & Fudge. 2-22,tf

FOR SALE—All kinds of cook stoves, wood or coal gas, ranges and gasoline stoves. All kinds of stove repairs. Andy Pfohl second hand store, Third street, two doors west of 4-8,tf

## LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Two pair shoes wrapped in S. & S. shoe store paper, somewhere on street Friday. Finder return to S. & S. shoe store and receive reward.

## MISCELLANEOUS

STRAYED—Red hog, wt. 140, in Bellbrook vicinity. Notify Ed Shaw, R. 2, Spring Valley.

HORSES—Will let them out for their feed. John Harbison, Allen Building. 3-19

## WANTED

WANTED—Canary bird. Must be good singer. Box 121, Jamestown. 3-18

WANTED—A woman or girl to do house work in small family. Call Kenyon Riddle, Bell phone 357-W. 3-18

WANTED—Woman for housework, two in family. Apply 727 S. Detroit St. 3-18

WANTED—Saleslady who has had experience. Engliman's. 3-19

WANTED—Married man who wants steady work every week in the year. Apply Xenia Shoe Mfg. Co. 3-22

WANTED—Carpenter work, and repairing of all kinds. Work guaranteed. H. P. Purks, 31 California St. Bell 723-R. 3-19

WANTED—Boys between 16 and 20. Apply at cutting department, Xenia, Shoe Co. 3-22

WANTED—Single man to work on farm by the month. Call Bell phone 253-W-4. Jno. H. Frye. 3-17

WANTED—To rent house from five to seven rooms, children. Would lease. Call Bell 560-W. 3-19

POULTRY WANTED—Call us. We have the price. Fletcher's grocery. Bell 499. Citizens 30, Xenia, O. 3-18

WANTED—Two thousand chickens at once. Highest market price paid. H. E. Schmidt & Co. 1-29,tf

WANTED—Man or woman, salary \$24, full time, 50c an hour spare time, selling guaranteed hosiery to wearers. Experience unnecessary. Guaranteed Mills, Norristown, Pa. 4-11,tf

## REAL ESTATE

REAL ESTATE and loans; notes bought. John Harbison, Jr., Allen Building, Xenia, O. 3-11,tf

LONG & MARSHALL—Real estate and loans. Will buy or sell your property, or loan you money. It will pay you to see me. Office in South Detroit. Gazette Building. Both phones. 6-11,tf

JOHN W. PRUGH, "the Real Estate" man, but not a real estate man. Money to loan. Twelve years successful business. A square deal. Office No. 6 North Detroit St. Bell phones. 3-18

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room, modern, central, private residence. Address Gazette Box 35. 3-17

FOR RENT—Garage, Call at Julius Jacobson's shoe repair shop. 3-19

## Public Sales

Have your sale announced FREE in this column early, so that you may claim your date and others will stay off of it. These ads are run every day and are gratis with the large display advertising. We also furnish sale bills without charge. Let us tell you about it.

PUBLIC SALE advertising in the Gazette and Republican bring the crowds. In these days of automobiles the farmer has no time to stop along the road to read sale bills. He is coming to depend upon these papers to notify him of the sale dates and articles to be offered for sale. It is the buyer from a distance who sees your ad in this paper, who jumps into his auto and hustles to your sale, who pays what your stuff is worth. Your neighbor no longer can stand around and pick off what he needs at an absurd price, as he does when you have not properly advertised, and gotten a good crowd. Use the Gazette and Republican if you want the worth of everything you offer. Don't try to save on your advertising.

PUBLIC SALE—Mch 19th, at 10:00 a. m. at the farm of the late Isaac H. Smith on the Maple Corner road, 4 mi. south of Xenia—8 horses, 5 head of cattle, 27 brood sows and 60 feeding shots, all double immunized; 72 head of sheep, farm implements, household goods, DeLo-Light plant and many other articles. Weikert, Auctioneer. T. C. Long, Clerk. R. C. SEIFERT, N. C. Ex. Estate Isaac H. Smith.

PUBLIC SALE—Mch. 20th, at 12:30 o'clock at my farm known as the old St. John farm, 1 1/2 miles N. E. of Spring Valley, 5 1/2 miles S. W. of Xenia, 1 mile from Pegues' Corner, on road from Richland church to Valley pike—team of young mules, one single mule, 3 head of cattle, 3 brood sows, 40 head of sheep, farm implements, separator, stove, harness, etc. Auctioneer, R. R. Grieve, Clerk. Ed Sutton. W. O. BOWERS, N. C.

PUBLIC SALE—March 22nd, at 12:30 p. m. at 231 E. Main street, Xenia—Buick auto, piano, high grade phonograph, stoves and range, antique furniture and household goods. Ault, R. R. Grieve. ETHEL FINLEY TUCKER, NC

PUBLIC SALE—March 25th at 1 p. m. at the late residence of F. P. Eymon, S. Detroit street, Xenia, O. Personal property consisting of two horses, farm implements, household goods, many other articles. R. R. Grieve, Auctioneer. T. C. Long, Clerk. N. C. O. A. BINGAMON, Admr.

PUBLIC SALE—March 25th, at 9 a. m. at farm of late Jesse Haines, 2 miles south of New Burlington on Waynesville road—5 head horses, 160 hogs, farm implements, feed and grain. N. C. DAISY L. HAINES, EX.

Ivory Mats. There are but three mats of ivory in existence. The largest one measures 8 by 4 feet; and, although made in the north of India, has a Greek design for a border. It is used only on state occasions, like the signing of important state documents. The cost of this precious mat was almost incalculable, for more than 6,400 pounds of pure ivory were used in its construction. Only the finest and most flexible strips of the material could be used and the mat is like the finest woven fabric.

## CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Indicated by your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand. Pinkettes, Red and Gold Pills. Take one or two. Buy your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S PILLS. Known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

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## DRUG STORE.

## BISHOP HARTZELL COMMENDS CAMPAIGN

Columbus, O., March 16.—In advising the Ohio Sunday School Association that he would come to Ohio to participate in the Victory Reconstruction campaign, Bishop J. C. Hartzell of the Methodist Episcopal church and vice-president of the World Sunday School Association, sent this message of endorsement:

"The joint World and International Sunday School Association campaign for money to strengthen and enlarge their work in North America and foreign lands has my heartiest commendation."

"The Sunday School is the right arm of the church and is the chief factor in the moral reconstruction of the war smitten world."

"These organizations are interdenominational and co-operate with all mission and Sunday School boards in the improvement of literature and teacher training and in promoting new organizations especially in foreign lands."

## XENIA MARKETS

## XENIA GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Corn, per bu	.....	\$1.40
Wheat, per bushel	.....	\$2.20
Rye, per bushel	.....	\$1.40
Mixed Timothy Hay	.....	\$23.00
Mixed Hay	.....	\$23.00
Clover Hay	.....	\$18.00
Straw	.....	\$8.00
Eggs, wholesale	.....	35c
Eggs, retail	.....	40c
Butter, retail	.....	59c
Oleomargarine, retail	.....	40c
Oleomargarine, wholesale	.....	35c
Spring chickens, wholesale	.....	25c
Spring chickens, retail	.....	30c

Corrected daily by Faulkner & St. John.

HOGS.  
Hogs, 200 lbs. up ..... \$18.00@18.25  
Light hogs ..... \$16.00@17.50  
Sows ..... \$15.00  
Stags ..... \$11.00@12.00

CATTLE.  
Stags ..... \$10.00@12.00  
Good heifers ..... \$7.00@7.50  
Shipping steers ..... \$9.00@10.00  
Cows ..... \$5.00@6.50  
Bologna cows ..... \$4.50@5.00  
Veal calves ..... \$14.00  
Lams ..... \$12.00

XENIA LIVE STOCK  
Corrected daily by Mullen Bros. and Peterson.

HOGS.  
Heavy hogs ..... \$18.00@18.50  
Light hogs ..... \$15.00@17.00  
Rough hogs ..... \$14.50@15.00

CATTLE.  
Shipping steers ..... \$9.00@10.00  
Cows and heifers ..... \$7.00@8.00  
Cows, fat ..... \$5.00@6.50  
Bologna cows ..... \$4.00@5.00  
Veal calves ..... \$14.00@15.00  
Spring lambs ..... \$15.00  
Oats, per bu. ..... \$6.00@8.00  
Sheep ..... \$8.00@10.00  
Lams ..... \$12.00@14.00

## DAYTON MARKETS

GRAIN.  
Wheat—No. 1, \$2.30 per bushel.  
Rye—\$1.20 per bushel.  
Oats—60c. per bushel.  
Corn—\$2.10.

HOGS.  
Hogs—Receipts 3 cars; market 10 to 15 cents lower.  
Choice heavies ..... \$19.65@19.75  
Select butchers and packers ..... \$17.25@18.25  
Heavy yorkers ..... \$18.25@18.75  
Pigs ..... \$15.00@16.00  
Choice fat sows ..... \$16.50@17.50  
Common to fair sows ..... \$16.00@17.00  
Stags ..... \$11.00@13.00

## AUCTIONEERS

Who conduct Public Sales in and around Greene County: Harry Keene, Cedarville, O. Col. Meade, Springfield, O. Titus Bros., So. Charleston, O. Mouk & Weikert, Osborn, O. Wm. Mills, New Burlington, O. R. Grieve, Xenia, O. Kogler Bros., R. 7, Xenia. W. F. Smith, Davies Bldg., Dayton. Carl Taylor, R. D. Jamestown. Harry Wilson, R. D. Cedarville. Robert Corry, Yellow Springs, O. C. A. Haines, R. 7, Xenia. Lester Shoup, R. 8, Dayton. Jesse Stanley, R. D. Waynesville. W. Sears, Waynesville. C. T. Hawke, Waynesville. A. A. McNeal, Centerville, O. Frank Morrow, R. D. Jamestown. E. C. Sessler, Jamestown, O. John H. Wright, Belmont, O. Allison Brooks, R. 3, Cedarville, O. O. A. Zink, R. 17, Dayton.

## HIS DEMOTION MAY BE INVESTIGATED



Lieut. Col. Samuel T. Ansell.

The Republicans threaten to investigate many acts of the Democrats when congress reconvenes this summer. One of these is the demotion by the war department of Samuel T. Ansell from brigadier general to lieutenant colonel, after Ansell had exposed the activities of certain higher up court martial officials in the army.

## INTERESTING WAR HERO IS VISITOR IN XENIA FOR FEW DAYS

An interesting visitors last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thearl White was the former's cousin, Private Rudolf Wolf, U. S. M., of Bowersville, who spent a few days here while on his way from Bowersville back to the Brooklyn naval hospital.

Private Wolf was with the marines through all the big drives that made the "devil dogs" famous; was in the hospital two months, recovering from the effects of gassing, before he received the wound at St. Mihiel, which put him out of the big game.

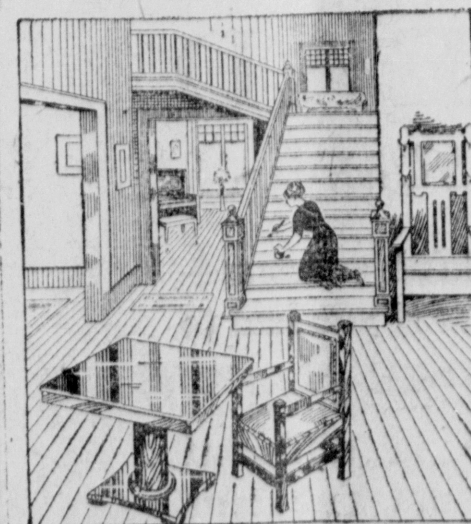
Shot in the calf of the leg by a poison bullet, the brave young Marine has undergone five operations, each time losing a small portion of the limb, which is now off above the knee. The bit of poisoned lead, which penetrated his leg, so infected the lad's system that the repeated operations were necessary in order to save his life. Now he is well, happy that he is alive, and joyful in the expectation of soon receiving his artificial leg, and being able to return permanently to his home and friends. He is just ending a 30 days' furlough, most of which was spent with his mother in Bowersville, and he left Xenia Saturday night on his way east.

One cannot meet Private Wolf and talk to him without being at once impressed with the radiant spirit which fairly shines from the boy's eyes. It is the same spirit which has been the marvel of all those who have come in contact with the U. S. fighting man as he came from the front, wounded or ill. Lack of depression, absence of regret, a buoyancy and hope that seems almost supernatural.

Honey Found in Tree Tops. Quantities of honey are found in the African forests by the natives in hollow trees. The honey is generally at the summit of the tree, and the men knock down the tree, and smother the bees out of their lodging with burning grass. The honey is then quickly collected and taken to camp.

## D. D. JONES, Druggist.

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## HARRY L. CLARK ENTERS CONTEST

A telegram to the Gazette and Republican from the Ohio War Savings Committee at Columbus announces that Harry L. Clark of Xenia is the first Greene county mail carrier to enter Ohio War Savings Committee's contest. The winner in each county in this contest will get a lake trip in August to Mackinac Island and return. The winner in each county will be the mail carrier who sells the most war savings stamps between March 10 and August 9. A special course in salesmanship goes with the contest which is open to all mail carriers. It is expected that all the mail carriers in the county will take part in the contest.

## SAME OLD WISH



Mrs. Henpeck (during the quarrel)—Oh! I wish I had been born a man. Mr. Henpeck—So do I.

## "SYRUP OF FIGS" IS CHILD' LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from stomach, liver and bowels



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear.



## IF a poultryman were running an engine—

HE WOULD burn fuel that produced steam—not hot water. Yet poultrymen feed their hens, which are nothing but engines, fuel that sustains them. Cere-a-lia Egg Mash is a ration which, plus care and cleanliness, develops many eggs and sturdy hens. It is not the kind of a dry mash you get by throwing odds and ends together but an exact ration perfectly balanced by machinery. Never varies a particle in taste or in proportion of nutriment. Costs more than home-made feeds but just watch the nests after feeding it awhile!

Cere-a-lia Egg Mash is made by The Early & Daniel Co., makers of Tuxedo Chop, Tuxedo Scratch and other feeds.

## BELDEN MILLING CO.

TELEPHONE  
Xenia, Ohio



## Public Sale!

The undersigned will offer for sale, at Public Auction, at the late residence of F. P. Eymon, deceased, in Xenia City, South Detroit Street, Greene County, Ohio, on

## TUESDAY

25TH DAY OF MARCH, A. D., 1919

the personal property of the said F. P. Eymon, deceased, consisting of

## 2—HORSES—2

Some farm implements, hay, rope and fork, large kettle, and all the household goods, such as heating stove and cook stove.

Bed clothes, feather beds, side board, one lot of carpenter tools, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms Cash, and no article to be removed until the terms of sale is complied with.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock P. M.

O. A. BINGAMON, Administrator.

R. R. GRIEVE, Auctioneer.

T. C. LONG, Clerk.

## TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS

## PUBLIC SALE!

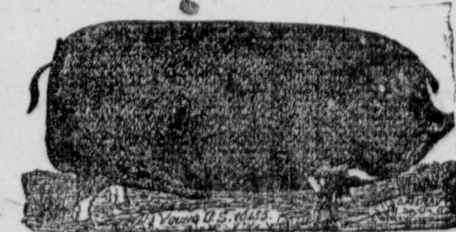
AT THE FARM OF THE LATE JESSE C. HAINES, 2 MILES SOUTH OF NEW BURLINGTON ON THE WAYNESVILLE PIKE, ON

## TUESDAY, MARCH 25th, 1919

AT 9:00 A. M.

## 5--HORSES--5

One team of bay mares, about 1400 lbs., one 5 years, and one 10 years, good pullers; one team 6 year gray gelding, and gray mare 9 years old, fine pullers, the smaller; one bay filly, 3 years old.



## 150 HOGS

Seventy-five head of stock hogs, weighing 80 or 90 pounds; 13 brood sows, with pigs; one Big Type Poland China boar.

## FARM IMPLEMENTS

Two wagons. One Troy wagon with box bed and 2 sets of side boards. One wagon with ladders and combination hog racks. One corn plow. One McCormick mower. One 10-horse Superior disc drill. One 60-tooth harrow. One John Deere corn planter with fertilizer attachment. One walking breaking plow. One 3-horse Oliver sulky plow. One 13-tooth Stand-ard cultivator. One 3-horse disc harrow. One steel tire buggy. One 12 H. P. International gasoline engine. One McCormick husker. One International power feed grinder. One power Eagle corn sheller. Pitch forks, and many other articles.

## HARNESS, ETC.

Two sets of new brass mounted harness. Four sets of chain harness. Three leather collars; two canvas collars. Single trees, double trees.

## FEEDS

400 shocks of shredded fodder. 2 tons of Fatina steer feed. About 800 bushels of corn, 10 tons of pure ground barley. 5 tons of clover hay.

TERMS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE

## Daisy L. Haines, Ex. Estate Jesse C. Haines

WM. MILLS,



## UPSET STOMACH

Pape's Diapiesin at once ends indigestion.

Don't stay upset! When meals don't fit and you belch gas, acids and of indigestion pain, flatulence, heart-burn or headache you can get instant relief.



No waiting! Pape's Diapiesin will put you on your feet. As soon as you eat one of these pleasant, harmless tablets all the indigestion, gases, acidity and stomach distress ends. Your druggist sells them. adv

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Will relieve heartburn, sour stomach, gas, bloating and all the ills resulting from indigestion. Why suffer?

Price 60c and \$1.00 at all druggists. Send 3c stamp to The Jackson Medicine Co., Zanesville, O., for sample package. adv

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## JUST THINK OF CADOMENE

When You Find You Are Losing Out in the Game of Life.

Worn-Out, Nervous Men and Weak, Bloodless, Anaemic Women Have Found New Strength and Vigor in Taking Cadomene Tablets.

A well-known writer on physical culture says: "You cannot run a high-powered engine without fuel. You cannot get much speed without plenty of steam. You cannot get up much steam without plenty of coal and a perfectly working (body.) Similarly, in your own case, the internal 'works' must be sound and working properly."

That tired feeling—do you know what it means? It means that digestion and nutrition are lacking. It means that your blood and nerves are impoverished. It means that slow but sure decline in your vitality will surely ensue and real sickness will overtake you, unless you bestir yourself in overcoming the weakness of the organs responsible. This is not written to frighten. In reality it expresses logical facts. Cadomene Tablets, the favorite prescription of a great physician, are made, and sold by druggists for people who need help for nature's forces, owing to ignorance, neglect or dissipation of one kind or another. Every package is guaranteed to please or money back. Adv.

**Wild Goose Hides Eggs.**  
The domestic goose is derived from wild species. The pioneer settlers saw their domestic geese run wild in bushes and almost revert to their primitive state. Now, the goose constructs a very pretentious nest on the ground. The eggs are so large and white that they would attract unfriendly notice at a considerable distance. To avoid this dangerous publicity the eggs are carefully covered over when the owner leaves them even for a short time.

**Mother's Poor "Rememberer."**  
Mother had been searching for her purse. Having found it she shortly afterwards mislaid her eyeglasses and asked Doris, who was playing nicely with kitty, to hunt for them. Doris promptly obeyed, but said: "You is always losing something, mummy; I wish to goodness you had as good a rememberer as aunts has."

Take Mrs. Austin's Buckwheat for a week. Breakfast. Three pound package twenty-five cents.

## Great Medicine

Made From Corn Silk—Excites Favorable Comment.

Kidney and Bladder Ailments Banished By Few Doses.

Corn Silk! The same "silk" you see protruding from the husk of corn, produces a fine medicine for kidney and bladder irregularities, when compounded with other simple drugs as in Balmwort Tablets.

Balmwort Tablets contains a powerful extract of corn silk, which quickly relieves the inflammation and congestion that causes such distress as pains in back and hips, rheumatic twinges, nervousness, severe headaches, accompanied by frequent desire to eliminate, followed by scalding, burning sensation. The patient is compelled to arise frequently to relieve pressure, even though a scanty flow follows. The eyes appear "bloodshot," the sleep is restless, and sometimes fever, followed by chills, cause great unrest. It is unwise to neglect such symptoms, when a few doses of Balmwort Tablets can be taken for relief. Alice Trobough, 5627 South Twenty-fourth street, Omaha, Neb., writes: "I have used one tube of your Balmwort Tablets and find that they are the best I have ever used for kidney and bladder trouble."

Ask any leading druggist for a tube of Balmwort Tablets. Price, \$1.00 adv

## ALL COUNTY BASKETBALL TEAMS CHOSEN

**First Team** Stephens, Xenia. M. Luce, Cedarville Gray, Osborn. . . . . Hartsock, Xenia Brewer, Yel. Sps. . . . . Neff Osborn Zeller, Osborn. Jg. Kauffman, Osborn Vannorsdall, X. . . . . Satterfield X. First team substitutes: LeSourd, Xenia, forward, Perry, Jamestown, guard. Second team substitutes: Riddell, Xenia, forward; Bales, Xenia, guard.

These lads are the choice of the Gazette and Republican sport writer for the mythical all-county basketball team, picked from the players who performed in the county tournament at Antioch College Saturday. While it will never be possible for either of the teams picked to get together, such a combination as either of them represents would be a team hard to beat.

The tournament every year brings out the very best basketball talent available in the high schools of the county, and in picking an all-county team of any sort it is necessary to draw a very fine line of distinction. The number of good players present made the picking a difficult job.

The tournament committee of Antioch, Warren Vannorsdall, Elmer Barre and Lyman Athey, also picked several all-county teams. The first team selection differs from that of the Gazette and Republican only in the position of right forward, Cox being used instead of Gray. Their selection follows:

**First Team** Stephens, Xenia. M. Luce, Cedarville Gray, Osborn. . . . . Hartsock, Xenia Brewer, Y. S. . . . . Neff Osborn Zeller, Osborn. Jg. Kauffman, Osborn Vannorsdall, X. . . . . Satterfield X. Second team substitutes: Hughes, Antioch Academy, forward, Satterfield, Xenia guard.

The committee selected one team for all-county girls, which is given below. The second team was the selection of this paper. **First Team** Littleton, Y. S. M. Smith, Jamestown Insley, Cedarville. Lf. . . . . Blazer Y. S. Smith, Cedarville. 1 c. Lorrimer, Jastown Moorman, Jastown. 2 c. Bailey Cedarville Adams, Y. S. Jg. George, Jamestown Zeiner Jamestown. rg. Davis Cedarville Substitutes—Miss Beck, of Ross township and Miss Turnbull of Jamestown.

**Optimistic Thought.**  
Better have an open enemy than a sneering friend.

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## MAIL THIEF IS TRANSFERRED TO JAIL IN DAYTON

Charles Mangan, arrested by local police Friday night on the charge of stealing a bag of registered mail from the Pennsylvania railroad station platform, a part of which he destroyed before being caught, was taken to Dayton Monday morning by Deputy United States Marshall Kendig.

Mangan will be given a trial before the United States District Commissioner some time this week and as the case is a federal offense, he will probably be dealt with severely. Mangan is pleading insanity. Friday night he said to Chief Canaday, "You know Chief I'm not right at times." "You're never right when you're caught," replied the Chief. "No, but I would have been right if you had been out of town," said Mangan. Later Mangan asked the Chief to send him to the Dayton asylum.

Herschell Brandon, colored, wanted by the Washington C. H. authorities was arrested Saturday night by Officer Simms. He is being held pending the arrival of papers from Washington and will be taken to the work house direct from here.

**Daily Thought.**  
Be calm in arguing; for fierceness makes error a fault and truth discourtsey.—Herbert.

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## ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE PREMIER LENINE

Zurich, March 17—Another attempt has been made to assassinate premier Lenine, according to a despatch received from Berlin today. He was shot at in Moscow, but was unharmed, it was said. His assailant was lynched.

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## Facts About Street Paving

An important issue is now before the people in the matter of paving the important streets. Because of the water works question the City Commissioners hesitated to launch out on the paving business, thinking that one issue might interfere with the other and that even both might be lost, while to consider one at a time both might carry. Considering each proposition one is equally as important as the other and each is of such consequence that neither should be turned down.

Everyone knows how important it is for the city to take over the water works, both from a sanitary and from an economical standpoint. And, all should realize by this time the importance of paving the streets not only because the streets need paving but to offer necessary work for the returned soldiers. One issue should in no way interfere with the other, for each one pertains to altogether different things and have no relation to each other, except that some will argue that the tax rate will have to be materially increased to handle the improvements.

It has already been shown that the purchase of the water works will not increase expense to the tax payer, but on the other hand it will materially decrease such expenses. For unquestionably the present public service charge of \$15,000 a year—the tax payer's burden—will be more than cut in two and at the end of thirty years the people here will absolutely own a \$300,000 water plant and up to this time interest and sinking fund charges will of course be decreasing and water rates can be constantly lowered until finally at the period of thirty years the people will have to pay no such charge and the water will cost them the equivalent of direct operating expenses and depreciation. Under private ownership you are never relieved of the seven or eight per cent. interest and sinking fund charge. No one should worry about the purchase of the water works being the cause of more expense, for it means less expense.

The street improvements include pavement, curb and gutter, storm sewer and sanitary sewer, together with new water and gas service lines where needed. For this important improvement taxes in Xenia for the street improvement under consideration for this summer will be increased .3 of a mill or 30 cents per \$1000 property valuation. If your property is on the tax roll for \$2000.00 you will pay 60 cents a year for the extensive street improvements planned for this year. The property along the street will pay from 75 to 85 per cent of the entire cost and the city at large bears the balance. You certainly will not turn down so important an issue for a cost of a dollar or two a year. At least you will not when you realize how essential it is just now to do our share towards employing labor. We should feel such an obligation on our part and this city will do its share.

Since the armistice was signed the national government has been making an urgent appeal on all local governments to do their share in safe-guarding the economic welfare of soldiers who have been discharged from service so that they may be

properly re-established in civil life. In a recent letter from the War Department, it is stated that "the government, both federal and local, has the prime obligation of aiding these men. With unbounded enthusiasm they responded to the call of the government to serve in the world emergency. They did not count personal cost. Their achievements as soldiers have written one of the brightest pages in American history. They are now returning to their homes full of well-earned pride and animated by high ambitions. They want jobs, good jobs, with the least possible waste of time in taking up their individual responsibilities as citizens. They do not understand how greatly the delicate machinery of our industrial and commercial life has been thrown out of adjustment by the war. Most of them only know that they have done their duty at the nation's call, and their disappointment will be very bitter if the Government which called them does not actively cooperate to replace them in civil pursuits."

"In representing this matter to you, I am fully aware of the fact that you are as deeply impressed by its importance as is the War Department, and that you have probably already taken effective steps to meet the situation so far as it affects your city. The War Department wants to do all that it can to supplement and to help local effort."

Signed ARTHUR WOODS, Assistant Sec'y. of War.

One has only to realize the amount of labor necessarily employed as a result of street improvements to see the importance in going ahead with such work. C. M. Talbert, director of streets and sewers of St. Louis refers to this when he says: "We feel that we should place on the market at the earliest possible moment a sufficient amount of work to justify contractors in organizing their forces for a full season's work and material men in opening up their plants on the same basis." A large number of contractors who make a business of constructing public works, and who ordinarily count upon sufficient work of this kind to give full employment to their plant and warrant them in engaging foremen and making arrangements for laborers at the beginning of the season, this year are uncertain as yet whether sufficient public work will be forthcoming to warrant such action. In the case of brick and asphalt plants, quarries, sand and gravel pits, etc., the operators also are in the same dilemma. When the construction season begins, the products of the plants are demanded in large quantities for immediate delivery, and they must therefore begin work long before the actual paving begins in order to have on hand a stock of material to meet such demands.

It is estimated that the cities and states of the country need at least \$200,000,000 worth of street and road paving this year. If this is done great numbers of laborers who are being discharged from the army or from factories engaged in war work will be employed. This city has an opportunity now to shoulder its share of this obligation.

From inquiries sent out by The Municipal Journal to engineers

over the country the following extracts have been taken: There can be little doubt that practically all of the needed paving work would go ahead with the opening of the building season but for one thing—the feeling on the part of many that prices will fall within the next few months, and that by holding off construction considerable saving can be accomplished. The city engineer of Omaha states that he is convinced that only slight reductions in prices can be expected in the next few years.

The U. S. Department of Labor states positively that "indications are that prices will remain high in road materials for some time to come, and, in view of the forecasts for market conditions, it is imprudent to longer hold up construction anticipating lower construction costs." The street construction here, is sufficiently pressing that to delay the work will result in a cost of maintenance and destruction to traffic to more than equal any amount that might be saved by delaying the construction.

The amount of money that this city spends each year in keeping up the gravel streets that are included in this years paving program amounts to as much as the city's share of such paving cost. The average cost to the city on the \$25,000 bond issue being \$3,100.00 a year and we do not have it means to travel nor are we maintaining a thing that has any value. The same cost on a paving issue gives us good streets and at the end of ten years the street is entirely paid for and cost ends for years to come. Those who live on unpaved streets and whose street is not included in the paving projected for this year will be greatly benefitted by such work. For it is planned to cover the item of "excavation" on the streets to be paved, in such manner that the bid on excavation will include such disposition of the gravel from these streets as to enable the city to improve a good many unpaved streets. The cost will be no greater in the paved district nor will there be any charge to the district which will receive the improved gravel streets. Some will say that this same proposition has been put before with very little benefit resulting. Nevertheless it is possible to build and repair gravel streets with the gravel taken from streets to be paved and given the opportunity the improvement that will result will prove the fact. It is much less trouble to sell this excavated material to some individual for filling but the material is the property of the city and it is the city's duty to use it on the repair of other streets, before allowing it to be used otherwise. The contractor will be required to put the excavated material that is desirable for building streets on the streets and to bring them to grade stakes if required, and he will do it without extra charge to the paving district.

If you are interested in the improvement of the city and the employment of labor you will of course vote for the paving. Those out side of the paving district will have their taxes increased 30 cents per \$1000.00 valuation of property. It will not cost a great many tax payers more than 30 cents a year.